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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:**Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-006008**Date Inspected:** 02-Apr-2009**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 1845**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 645**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name:	N/A			CWI Present:	Yes	No	
Inspected CWI report:	Yes	No	N/A	Rod Oven in Use:	Yes	No	N/A
Electrode to specification:	Yes	No	N/A	Weld Procedures Followed:	Yes	No	N/A
Qualified Welders:	Yes	No	N/A	Verified Joint Fit-up:	Yes	No	N/A
Approved Drawings:	Yes	No	N/A	Approved WPS:	Yes	No	N/A
				Delayed / Cancelled:	Yes	No	N/A

Bridge No: 34-0006**Component:** OBG & Tower**Summary of Items Observed:**

Summary of Items Observed: On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Larry Viars was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

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This QA inspector performed Magnetic Particle Testing (MT) of approximately 15% of the area previously tested and accepted by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. This QA Inspector generated an MT report for this date. The members are identified as OBG Floor Beams, FB003-150, FB003-152, FB003-155 and FB003-131 (A side). The weld identification numbers 003 and 005 for all four of the above mentioned floor beams.

OBG Outside (west of bay 19)-

This QA Inspector performed Phased Array Ultrasonic Testing (PAUT) of OBG deck panel u-rib Partial Joint Penetration (PJP) welds at tack weld locations. Caltrans NDT personnel performed conventional ultrasonic testing of tack welds. Tack weld locations that exhibited crack like indications in the area of interest were marked and recorded prior to PAUT. PAUT was performed in accordance with Caltrans UT procedure " Phased Array Testing for detection of planar discontinuities (cracks) in PJP welds. Results of Deck Panels evaluated are as follows:

DP121-002 (8CW): 44 locations tested with 32 locations rejected.

DP229-001 (8CW): 32 locations tested 11 locations rejected. Initial PAUT not complete

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This QA Inspector performed Phased Array Ultrasonic Testing (PAUT) of OBG deck panel u-rib Partial Joint Penetration (PJP) welds at tack weld locations after weld repair. Testing was performed in accordance with Caltrans UT procedure “ Phased Array Testing for detection of planar discontinuities (cracks) in PJP welds.

Results of Deck Panels evaluated are as follows:

DP330-001: 3 locations tested with 0 rejected (R5).

DP357-001: 2 locations tested with 1 rejected (R5).

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

Summary of Conversations:

Only general conversations occurred between QC and QA on this date.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang 150 0042 2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Viars,Larry	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Carreon,Albert	QA Reviewer
